

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1239
By DuBois

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Elizabeth Bowers, 2006
Co-Valedictorian of Zion Christian Academy.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Elizabeth Bowers is one such exceptional student who was recently named Co-Valedictorian of the 2006 graduating class at Zion Christian Academy; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Bowers has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Elizabeth Bowers has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average, while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including the National Honor Society, which she served as president; Student Council, which she served as secretary; varsity volleyball, basketball, and softball teams; Fellowship of Christian Athletes; Women's Bible Study; and Youth Leadership Maury; and

WHEREAS, as a result of her singular achievements in academics and athletics, Ms. Bowers has been justly awarded the Bausch and Lomb Honorary Science Award, the All-District Award in basketball and volleyball, and the USAA All-American Scholar Award; and

WHEREAS, Elizabeth Bowers's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bowers's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Dr. Gregory and Janet Bowers, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Elizabeth Bowers's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED
FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE
CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2006 Zion Christian Academy Co-
Valedictorian, Elizabeth Bowers, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her
our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared
for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.